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### Six Word Memoir

There are no problems, only challenges.

This may be a cliché statement, but I believe it perfectly describes this stage of my life. Whether it be in school, sports, or anything else, a positive attitude is the most important factor to success. “Problem” has a very negative connotation as opposed to “challenge,” despite the fact that both refer to something that needs to be overcome. The difference is, of course, positive attitude. A “problem” is often thought of as an obstacle, whereas a “challenge” is connoted more with something that has been or can be overcome. This statement has always been inspiring to me personally because in so many situations it is easy to back down from a problem, but when I look at that problem as a challenge, it is almost like being dared to find a way. Also, being an extremely competitive person myself, this attitude exemplifies the mindset of being challenged to achieve and do better, no matter what lies in the way.